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United Church

Church School, 2 p.m.
Judge Hoyt of the Children's Court, New York City—"If our experience in the Children's Court has proven one thing, it is that religion is essential in the training of children, and that no lasting good can be achieved when their spiritual development is neglected."

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"The Wedding Song" is the title of the picture at the theatre, March 18.

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DENTIST

In Leader, every Tuesday and Wednesday

Prelate—Monday and Friday.

Empress—Thursday.

R. M. Mantario

Minutes of special meeting of Feb. 26th 1927, at Orange Hall, Cathbert, at 10 am. Present: Reeve Rivers; Cos. Douglas, Barry, Austman, Edwards and Walker.

The following was read as calling special meeting.

You are instructed to call a special meeting of the Council of R. M. Mantario No. 262 on Saturday at the Orange Hall, to consider matters in connection with seizures already made and the future policy of the council in regard to seizure.

Meeting Feb. 26, at 10 a.m., L. C. Walker, A. J. Douglas, J. S. Edwards.

Owners of goods and chattels under seizure were present and made statements of their position and inability to make payment.

Douglas—That the council consider any proposals, which can be made for payment of a portion of the debt, with security for the ultimate payment of the arrears of unsecured taxes.

Considerable time was spent in considering various offers as the council were anxious to release the seizures if any reasonable settlement could be arrived at.

Settlements were finally arrived at and the Bailiff was given authority to lift the seizures on obtaining certain securities, which the council agreed to accept for the payment of the balance in each case respectively and the following amounts in cash: Re Boj. Moir \$50.00, re L. McKeehan \$80.00 re L. P. Ramsey \$200.00, which the owners of the property seized undertook to pay immediately.

Betty—That an advance of \$50.00 be made to J. Adams on account of fees as bailiff and that the Secretary's expense account \$15.00 in connection with the work be paid.

Betty—That in regard to settlement after seizure has been made, the Bailiff shall and is hereby authorized to lift seizure if he can secure 60 cents of the total amount, of which one half is to be cash, and the balance a secured note approved by the Reeve or the Council for the division in which the seizure is made. The costs of seizure to be added to the cash payment.

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Public School Report

(For February)
Grade II:
1 Iona Alton
2 Max Pawlak
3 Mable Langmuir
4 Marjory Burkhart
5 Esther Becker
6 Wilmer Highmore
7 Jack McCune
8 Cecil Dunn
9 Francis Belfie
10 Junior Crocker
11 Frank Oresid

Grade I B
1 Irene Fearnside
2 Corinne MacPherson
3 Harold Fraser
4 Lionel Lee
5 Roy Hern
6 Harvey Boswell

Grade 1 A
1 Robert Miller, Rege Danu
2 Emilybel Drader
3 Ellen Lee
4 Annie Smyth
5 Joe Oresid
6 Harold Tucker
7 John Oresid
8 Edwin Pawlak
9 Dorothy Barry

Beginners—Dorothy McCune, Charles Leach, John Balwies, Edgar Turner.

Grade III:
Howard Blodgett, 93
Julia Smyth, 90
Marg. Becker, 82.6
Joseph Balwies, 81
Lucille Fraser, 79
Stanley Pawlak, 75
Melville Boswell, 68.3
Cecil Young, 68
Charles Becker, 65.3

Not ranked—Victor Stubbington, Wilfrid Stubbington.

Grade IV
Zina Torry, 82.4
Katie Becker, 70
Evelyn Boswell, 75.2
Isabella Fearnside, 74
Mildred Horn, 68
Rueley McCune, 66.8
Donald McCune, 58.2

Not ranked—Helen Blunt

Grade V:
Vera Morrison, 91.8 percentage
James Usher, 90.4
Charlie Rowles, 90
Harold Dunn, 82.4
John Turner, 82.2
Enelle Anderson, 80.8
Eric Kenny, 78.7
Arthur Belfie, 76.2
Clifford Leach, 75.4
Marion McPherson, 75.2
Margaret Bremner, 74
Mable Alton, 70.4
Lewis Monna, 66.8
Gordon Boyd, 64.8

Not ranked—Katie Oresid, Ernest Dork, Lorraine Blunt.

Staples-Tucker

Geel L. Staples, of Bindloss, and Iola Fern Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Tucker, of the Beautyland district, were united in holy matrimony at the United Church manse, Empress, Sunday afternoon, February 27. Rev. N. W. Whitmore performed the ceremony. The bride was accompanied by her parents. The good wishes of friends follow the young couple to their home south of Bindloss.

Farm Stock Sale

Horses, cattle, pigs and farm machinery, will be offered for sale by public auction, near to the residence of Mrs. C. C. Kirn, south part of township, on Saturday March 18, by D. Lash, auctioneer.

Grade VI:
Billy Torry, 76 per cent.
Kathleen Turner, 72
Margaret Reed, 70
Ruth Arthur, 69.8; Kenneth Boswell, 69.8
Udelle Blodgett, 67.2
Lois MacDonald, 65
Harry Reddy, 64
Frederick Blodgett, 63.6

Clinton Leach, 63
Jin Fountain, 60
John Cairns, 55.6
Elmer James, 55
Not ranked—Eva Blunt, Russell Crozier, Forrest Frost, Wilda Livermore.

Grade VII:
Allen Tarr, 72.4
Henrietta Turner, 71.5
Helen Pawlak, 67.6
Isabel Turry, 67
Frances Arden, 66
Pauline Arden, 66
Leahud, 61.5
Gordon Brodie, 57
Bill Turner, 55
Rawleigh Barry, 45

Not ranked—Velma MacDonald.

Grade VIII:
Violet Morrison, 83
Doris Randall, 73.8
Newell Alton, 73
Alton Young, 68
John Pawlak, 61.5
Frances Pawlak, 59
Grace Clott, 58.8
Helen Arthur, 52.5
Beatrice Brodie, 51.6
Raymond Clark, 51

Not ranked—Margaret Robertson, Grace Robertson, Leo Frost, Kathleen Randall.

Junior Red Cross Evening At Forks Schoolhouse

Tuesday evening was a happy and profitable occasion for the children and parents of Forks School District. The school children are well organized in a Junior Red Cross local, and under the leadership of their teacher, Mr. Russell McDonald, gave evidence of the benefit of such an organization.

Rev. N. W. Whitmore, acting as chairman, introducing a program of recitations, songs, Red Cross yells, dialogues and a health play, "Mr. Cold, You Can't Catch Me." The whole program was given by the children and entertainingly emphasized Red Cross work and health rules. Following this a set of Red Cross lantern slides was shown, vividly portraying the various forms of Red Cross service. The lecture was read by Mr. MacDonald.

Tasty refreshments were served by the girls of the Junior Red Cross in uniform, bringing to a close a very well spent evening.

Hospital Notes

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Z. Livermore, Sunday, March 6, a daughter.

John Greenwald, of Seopre, had finger amputated, Wednesday morning.

Henry J. Duff, local barrister, had a vascular corneal papilloma ligatured, Tuesday. Now doing well.

Mr. Radel, Prelate, was admitted to the hospital, last Friday, suffering from emphysema, is now on way to recovery.

Miss Ida Johnson, of Bindloss, underwent a tonsil operation, Tuesday morning.

Mr. MacDonald is a patient in the hospital with a badly injured toe.

Bill Grudecki was operated on last Saturday at Medicine Hat, and had a piece of bone removed from the brain, is doing well.

Mr. Connell, has returned to Estuary, convalescent from his recent illness.

Mr. Meyer, of Leader, was admitted to the hospital on Saturday, suffering from a broken jaw, which was set on Sunday. He is now doing well.

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Empress Theatre

Friday, March 18th

"The Wedding Song"

Can love born in crime prove true? See the answer in this picture.

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Admission, 25c and 50c

Anglican Church

Sunday, March 13th (2nd Sunday in Lent).
Cavendish School, 2 p.m.
Sunday, March 20th (3rd Sunday in Lent).
St. Mary's Church:
11 a.m., Morning Prayer.
12:15 p.m., Supply School.
L. J. Tatham,
Priest-in-charge

The Effect of Cod Liver Oil Upon Chicks

(Experimental Farm Note)

Investigation has shown that in cases where both calcium and phosphorus are present in the ration in sufficient quantities, but where these minerals have not been properly used in bone formation, a deficiency of vitamin D, as it is called, is the controlling factor. Sources of vitamin 'D' are milk, liver, fresh green feeds and cod liver oil. It is most concentrated in cod liver oil.

Considerable experimental work on the use of cod liver oil as a source of this vitamin and as a cure for rickets has been conducted by the Poultry Division of the Central Experimental Farm, but the investigation is as yet in its infancy. During 1924, in an experiment comparing different vitamin feeds for brooder chicks, a pen receiving crude cod liver oil as a vitamin supplement made the greatest gains throughout the test and was the only pen in which there was no indication of rickets or leg-weakness. Fifteen chicks from this experiment, suffering from leg-weakness to such an extent that they were unable to walk, and one of which was practically unable to move, were fed cod liver oil at the rate of one teaspoonful per bird the first day and the same amount per five birds from that day on. Eleven days after the commencement of treatment all chicks, except the one previously mentioned, could run around normally, while by the fourteenth day even that one was completely cured. The chicks were then put on a standard ration and (cont. on back page)

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BLODGETT

"THE MEN'S MAN"

Russian Soviet Influence Said To Be The Cause Of Trouble In China

Vancouver—With 250 passengers from Chinese ports, the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada docked here on Sunday.

No actual refugees were among the passengers but the weight of opinion attributed the Chinese crisis to Russian Soviet influence and the Bolshevik propaganda flooding Southern China.

"China at present is under modern slave sway by the Soviet," said a Shanghai resident who was recently throughout the Hankow siege. "To avert disaster Britain must act quickly with counter propaganda as well as a show of force."

"Southern China is more Bolshevik today than many parts of Russia," said another traveller, "and Soviet activities throughout the region are the efforts of the educated Chinese to drive them out."

Seattle—A picture of Soviet Russia playing a leading role in the Chinese civil war drama was drawn here by Lieut. Commander J. B. Timberlake, U.S.N., upon his return to United States after two years in command of the Isabelle, flagship of the Yangtze River patrol.

"I have seen Russian aviators over Hankow and Russian officers in Chinese uniforms on the streets," he said. "I have heard the drone of Russian airplanes flying over the city of Hankow to drop bombs of Bolshevik propaganda directed at the 'Imperialistic Government' of England and America."

"At the recent Hankow disturbance, I perceived the embarkation of 75 American women and children on a boat bound for the British. If the Chinese troops ever capture Shanghai, it is my opinion that a re-embarkation of the British will be seen there," Lieut. Commander Timberlake said.

Limitation of Armaments

Britain and Japan Are Said to be Favorable to U.S. Proposal

Washington—President Coolidge's proposal for further limitation of armament appears to have found the maritime powers in a receptive mood. First impressions as reflected in news despatches from abroad indicate that the question next month at Geneva will be accepted but that specific methods of limitation will have to be left for determination by the conference. First, responsible officials of both the British and Japanese governments have been as accessible to a discussion of the subject broached by the president but not certain that his suggestion for extending the 1925-26 arms limitation conference to include all classes of war craft can be accepted in advance.

Savings Deposits Increase

Ottawa—Savings deposits in Canadian banks increased last year at the rate of rather more than a billion dollars a week. In December, 1925 they totalled \$121,900,000. Last December, the year ended \$127,200,000, according to the December bank statement. All banks in Canada were \$150,000,000 in December, 1925, an increase of approximately two billions over the previous month. All banks outside Canada were down sixteen millions, totalling \$272,597,200.

Civil Service Is To Benefit By Proposed Salary Revision

Ottawa. The Civil Service Commission, which for some months has been carrying out instructions of the Government for a complete salary revision, has completed its work. The report, however, which is about to be taken up by the cabinet committee, may not be made public until it is considered by that body.

It is understood that a horizontal increase in salaries is recommended. Affecting all grades up to those receiving an annual salary of \$5,000. The change that is proposed applies both to the inside and outside civil service and the total increased expenditure entailed would be \$2,800,000 a year. Everybody is in line for an increase, both in the temporary and permanent classifications, and the extent of the increase varies from 10 to 15 per cent.

R. N. U. 1573

Coast Lutherans Have Established School

Object to Religious Instruction in the Public Schools

Nelson, B.C.—The British Columbia Lutheran pastoral conference, which during its sessions here declared against "importing of religion by means of government institutions," including publicly supported schools, turning such a violation of the principle of separating church and state. The conference advised St. John's congregation, Nelson, to open a Christian day school.

The Nelson board of Alberta and British Columbia is asked to support this province three additional municipalities all for the interior.

War Expenses Increase

Expenditures Resulting From Great War Bear Heavily on Canada

Ottawa—The Canadian government is directly resulting from the Great War are not decreasing. During the fiscal year ended last March, the Dominion spent \$1,598,211 on pensions, war claims, soldier land settlement and re-establishment, materials and wages. This compares with a total of \$872,257 over the previous fiscal year. The figures do not include the interest on that part of the public debt attributable to the war.

These figures are published in the annual general report.

Former Italian General Dead

Gave Up Brilliant Career to Enter Religious Order

Rome—On the death of the French general, Antonio Piazzi, who gave up a brilliant career in 1911 to enter the religious order, it was found that under his religious name he wore his full uniform of an army general with a crucifix and the Italian tricolor sewn to the breast. Piazzi served with great distinction in the Italian forces in the African colonies and later distinguished himself in rescue work after the earthquake at Sicily in 1908.

Noted Singer Given Estate

Soviets Restore Part of Land Confiscated After Revolution

Moscow—Reporting from its annual principle of nationalization, the Soviet Government has restored to Pioslav Chialpali, noted singer, part of his 500-acre estate in the province of Yaroslavl, expecting that he will return to Russia soon. The estate, confiscated after the revolution, for the present will be occupied by Chialpali's wife and family, who are living in a flat in Moscow.

Council For Alberta

Ottawa—The Senate Committee has appointed R. J. Scott, K.C., of Toronto, counsel for the province of Alberta in the Alberta school preference. The reference will be heard this term, probably early next month.

May Appeal to League

London—England may inform the league as soon as the occasion offers that it bolsters the League of Nations to intervene in the Chinese situation, the Daily News says.

South Africa Will Watch Cook

No Trouble Anticipated From Visit Says Minister of Justice

Cape Town, South Africa—Pledging to a question at Johannesburg as to whether the Government approved of the proposed visit of A. J. Cook, general secretary of the Miners' Federation of Great Britain, to South Africa, Hon. James Ross, Minister of Justice, stated that no application had yet been made to the Government for the admission of Mr. Cook. The Minister of Justice thought it would be necessary to "keep an eye" on Mr. Cook while he was here.

Immigration Shows Increase

January Report Shows More Arrivals Than in January 1925

Montreal—As an indication that a substantial increase in immigration to Canada will be experienced this season it is stated by the Canadian National Railways that arrivals at the Atlantic port of Halifax for the first year of the present season have increased 51 per cent. In comparison with arrivals during the similar period of 1925.

The month of January and the beginning of February is a period when large numbers arrive in the Dominion and an increase in the first week of the year is recorded.

Irish Free State Would Co-operate

Could be Denounced On If British Isles Were Attacked

London—That in the event of a general attack on the British Isles, the army of the Irish Free State would almost certainly have to co-operate with the British army, was the statement of Desmond Fitzgerald, Minister of External Affairs, in the Dail. He declared that the Government, without consulting first in the matter of general military defence, felt that for this reason it was necessary to keep themselves informed as to Irish defence plans.

More Pure-Bred Horses

Toronto—In the last 10 years pure-bred horses have increased 50 per cent and pure-bred colts 150 per cent, according to statistics issued by the Canadian National Exhibition, at the dinner of the Canadian National Exhibition in Ontario livestock breeders here for their annual convention.

HARD FOR THE JUDGES



Anyone who thinks that a judge in a busy court in Saskatchewan has a leisurely life has only to glance at the above pictures to have that impression corrected. The ladies who are pictured above are but one of a dozen beautiful young women who are contesting for the crown of Miss Northern Saskatchewan Winter Carnival which is being held in Prince Albert, March 31 to 11th, inclusive. Miss Eagle and Miss Cullen are other candidates who have entered from Saskatoon, Regina, Edmonton, Medicine Hat, Star City, Kindred, and other places.

Proposed Creamery Merger

Matter is Introduced in Saskatchewan Legislature by Premier Gardiner

Regina, Saskatchewan—The introduction of the Saskatchewan Cooperative Creameries, Limited, Maud, June, was made in the Saskatchewan Legislature. He moved the adjournment of the house in order to make his statement, which was received in silence. There was discussion of the statement and after the premier withdrew his motion for the adjournment, the house proceeded with routine business.

"The government has been much acquainted with the fact that the Saskatchewan Cooperative Creameries, Limited, had approached the Saskatchewan Creameries, Limited, with a view to an amalgamation and that negotiations with this object in view have been under way for some time," said Premier Gardiner.

"It is considered by those interested that the proposed amalgamation will make possible the operation of the new system in such a manner as to greatly benefit the dairy industry of the province."

"It will be necessary, if the amalgamation is consummated, for certain amendments to be made to the present Cooperative Creameries act as it is intended that the proposed company shall operate under the name of the Saskatchewan Cooperative Creameries, Limited, and under the Cooperative Creameries act."

"In the event amending legislation being brought before the house an opportunity will then be offered for a full discussion of the whole matter."

Large Sum Paid Depositors

Claims on Home Bank Receive \$272,282 From Federal Government

Ottawa—Home Bank depositors have received to date a total of \$272,282 from the Federal Government. A statement tabled in the House of Commons shows that the department of finance paid claimants on the defunct bank a sum of \$1,985,015. In 1925 the amount paid to claimants was \$48,569.

Ontario Liquor Commission

"Toronto, Ont.—Premier Ferguson's strong support for the Ontario Liquor Commission will be the premier president and chairman of the Canadian National Railways, D. B. Hanna, the prime minister announced. The premier further announced that Mr. Hanna would be "backed" by the commissioners, Stewart McLaughlin, former Conservative M.P., Graham, and Hon. R. J. Martin, Conservative M.P. for Fort William.

Opposition To Co-operate With Government To Make A Brief Session

Date Decided For Coal Rates Discussion

Alberta-Ontario Hearing on Freight Question in May

Ottawa—After an hour's argument at the earliest possible date at which the coal industry, involving the question of transportation of coal from Alberta to Ontario could be taken before the board of railway commissioners, it was decided to arrange a conference between the directors of the railway and the producers to be presided over by a representative of the board on May 17 next. A hearing before the railway commissioners on June 7 will follow.

Council for Alberta in the general freight rates hearing reminded the board that no effect could be given to any decision until legislation had been secured and as it was too late to submit such action this session it was inevitable whether the case came before the court in April, May or June.

When the decision had been given, Lieut. Lawrence, who appeared for the Province of Ontario, expressed his appreciation of the courtesy of the board in allowing his matter to be interjected into the freight rates case.

Council expressed similar appreciation on behalf of the Province of Alberta.

Insurrection In Portugal

Two Hundred Persons Reported Killed in Oporto

London—Two hundred persons were killed in the fighting at Oporto, says a Daily Mail dispatch from Lisbon, quoting a newly arrived cable from the centre of the Portuguese revolt. A bomb fell into the room in the Grand Hotel, occupied by the United States consul, who had left only five minutes before. The room was wrecked.

Those killed during the course of the revolt included Lopes Teixeira, director of Minas do Oporto; Alvaro Costa, Republican leader; General Norton de Matos, former war minister; General Justino de Morais and General Sousa Diaz.

Many of the most important buildings in Oporto, among them the public library and post office, were destroyed.

Heart Disease Ravages First

New York—Heart disease killed first today among the causes of death, and if nothing is done to check the increase of attacks it will claim another one-fifth of the present population. These were the figures given recently by a physician who has examined thousands of people for a leading insurance company.

No Canadian Troops To Be Sent To China At The Present Time

Ottawa—"Under present conditions" the Government feels that no useful purpose could be served by the dispatch of Canadian troops to China," stated Premier Mackenzie King in the House of Commons in answer to a question.

"The protection of life and property in any country, whether of nations or of subjects, is primarily the duty of the government of that country. Of late civil war in China, now of several years' duration, has increased the difficulty of ensuring that the lives and the evacuation of certain interior areas by foreign residents has been considered an adequate protection. At the same time, it must be recognized that the loss of life by foreigners in these years of disturbance in China has been extraordinary. So far as it is known only one Canadian has been killed; the existence of a political mission in that city, which occurred in June, 1925, was not fully established, and the murder was not immediately by the Chinese authorities, but by a group of Chinese officials, who were in full sympathy with the British foreign secretary's announced policy of 'going as far as possible to help the Chinese people to maintain the law and order and to protect the lives and property of foreign residents. While there are extremists in the situation it is clear

Ottawa—"The first intimation of the possibility of a brief session was given by the House of Commons by Hon. H. J. Stevens (Conservative, Vancouver, Centre), who said:

"If we have a response from the ministry, such as we have had during the past few days, I think I can assure them of reasonable co-operation."

Mr. Stevens, in the course of a few remarks preliminary to the criticism of a resolution before the House, said:

"During the last week I think this House has witnessed a split of opinion. Co-operation will be in my opinion. I am not unprepared during my 17 sessions in Parliament. We have expedited the passing of various measures. I might instance the fact that this afternoon we advanced several important bills for the Minister of Finance with scarcely any comment, and I must say the House has been very prompt in making brief statements and explanations. I am not an extremely anxious that we should expedite the business of the session. We have had a couple of years of pretty bad parliamentary government. I think that the House will be better for a little session from liberality and composure. I can say on behalf of the colleagues on this side of the House that we have rendered to the House our hearty co-operation."

Incredible Cruelties In Soviet Prison Camp

Report Given by American Citizen Who Has Just Been Released

London—A letter despatch from Russia, as reported from Kopean, a United States citizen, has been expelled from Soviet Russia by the state police after 15 months' imprisonment. Kopean, the telling of his imprisonment, described "incredible" cruelties by the Soviet wardens in the Velikaya prison camp in the province of Perm.

The dispatch quoted Kopean as saying that he went to Soviet Russia in 1921 as a representative of various New York companies and found business impossible. There he was suddenly arrested, he said, "for violation of the state monopoly" and was sentenced to three years' imprisonment in a concentration camp from which he had been released before the termination of his sentence because of the efforts of American friends.

For Entertaining Queen Marie

Ottawa—A modest item of \$160 is being set aside for the purpose of "seeing expenses," talked in the House of Commons. It represents an expenditure by the Government House of Representatives for Queen Marie of Romania in Ottawa.

1. *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 1997; 277: 1001-1005.

The Law of Progress Is Reflected In Age-Old Science Of Surveying And Mapping

The science of surveying is one of the oldest in the world, extending back through the mists of antiquity to the early days along the banks of the Nile and, for all we know, even further. But, although truly venerable it is not yet too old to adapt itself to modern ideas nor to appropriate whatever it may find of service in the onward march of civilization.

The "gonioma," one of the most ancient of surveying instruments, used for angle measuring in the early Egyptian days, was constructed from the centre ribs of date palm leaves bound together by loadings of date palm fibre. From this crude beginning it is a far step to some of the more specialized and complicated instruments in use today, in the evolution of which countless inventions and adaptations have been called upon, revolutions and adjustments that in their principles and application present a diversity about as wide as it is possible to conceive.

The transit-theodolite, for instance, the modern angle-measuring instrument and the logical successor to the gonioma, has been gradually evolving, taking one idea here, another there, until it has reached its present state. That this state is by no means perfect, as yet it is evident from a recent tendency to effect in it further changes looking toward a lessening of weight, at the same time, an increase in compactness, stability, and accuracy.

The transit-theodolite, however, although a very important instrument to the surveyor, is not his only instrument. Many classes of surveying may be carried on with this instrument, but it is not the only one. In fact, it plays only a minor part. Indeed, sometimes instruments are used in surveying that may not even be thought of as survey instruments.

One of these that might be mentioned is the barometer. This instrument, because of the pressure of the air there and is ordinarily thought of in connection with weather forecasting, but the differences of altitude, the pressure also can be used, and, in fact, is used, to determine elevations of points above sea level, a matter of great importance in topographic mapping.

As another instance, shortly after Confederation, when the great area of Western Canada began to be opened up, our country was confronted with the necessity of providing maps of the rugged areas of the Rocky mountains. Here the usual methods of mapping were impractical and expensive, and new means had to be devised. In casting about for these, the barometer was selected upon, and by the application of methods devised by the late Dr. E. G. Loomis, the first maps of the west of Canada, methods which in their development were highly technical but in their application quite simple, this work was done.

These might not, upon casual consideration, appear to be much in connection between the art of raising pictures and that of making maps, but the method evolved, namely that of photo-topographic mapping, has done more to advance the art of the world. In this method photographs are taken of the surrounding country from high points offering commanding views and by an inversion of the principles of perspective, these photographs are translated into topographic maps.

The recent application of the aeroplane to the science of surveying is fairly generally known. When man began to fly with a reasonable degree of success, it was not long before the possibilities began to be considered of substituting the moving aeroplane for the stationary mountain peak, for support for the surveyor's camera. By no means the method could be improved to other than the most perfect, yet, a most valuable feature when the extent of territory left unmapped in our country is considered.

Mathematicians attacked the problem and the aerial photographic method of mapping was thus evolved, a method that has proved to be particularly adaptable to Canadian mapping needs. By this method alone the Topographical Survey, Department of the Interior, working in conjunction with the Royal Canadian Air Force, and provincial survey officials, particularly in Ontario and Quebec, have covered 40,000 square miles of territory, an area which by other methods would represent many years' work and tremendous expense.

Teacher-Johnny answered the following questions: "What is a dally?" and "What is a weekly?" Johnny: "My baby brother's bath is a dally and mine is a weekly."

W. N. E. 165

Game Conservation Needed

Urges Protection of the Fish and Game Life of Saskatchewan
Need of taking advantage of the experience of other parts of the world in conserving the fish and game life of the province while there is time, was urged upon the members of the Saskatchewan Fish and Game Protective Association, Saskatoon branch, by Fred Bradshaw, Regina, provincial game commissioner, and by George C. MacDonald, Prince Albert, Dominion Fisheries Inspector for Saskatchewan, at the annual game banquet of the association. It was pointed out that every eighth person in Saskatchewan had a car, every sixth a gun. Apparent need was also made of the proposed provincial legislation making shooting accidents and fatalities a matter for consideration under the criminal code.

Survey Vacant Lands

Vacant Property in British Columbia to be Used for Settlement Purposes
Statistics in British Columbia, from 1,000 acres down, many of which have been unproductive for 20 years, and most of which are owned by persons residing in England are to be surveyed and reported on by a representative of the Canada Colonization Association, to secure them for settlement. This is a part of the survey being made of vacant lands all over the West. T. O. F. Herd, manager of the association, stated in an interview at Winnipeg.

The British Columbia estates referred to lie mostly in the Columbia and Vancouver valleys and close to Vancouver.

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Smartly simple is the style frock shown here. The bodice is slightly gathered to the two-piece skirt having inverted pleats at the front, back, and sides. The bodice has an applied collar which would be very effective if made of contrasting material to match the trim cuffs on the long, dainty sleeves. Buttons and the buckle finishing the front-closing belt are smart details of this attractive daytime frock. No. 1218 is for misses and small women and is in rayon crepe. Size 18 to 20. Material, 3 1/2 yards 29-inch material, 3 1/2 yards 29-inch material, 29-inch contrasting material for collar and cuffs. Price 20 cents the piece.

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Population of Prairie Provinces

An Increase Shown of 111,600 Over That of 1921

According to a recent statement issued by the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics the population of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta was 2,067,582 at June 1, 1926, when the last census was taken. This is an increase of 111,600 over the population of 1921 at the decennial count. The largest increase of the three provinces since 1921 is credited to Manitoba, which now has a population of 521,012, an increase of 62,532 in five years. Manitoba is next with an increase of 25,548, the latest census giving the province a total population of 526,656. Alberta in 1926 had a population of 607,584, an increase of 10,150 in five years. About sixty-four per cent. of the people of the three prairie provinces live outside the cities and towns. Of the total population of 2,067,582 in Manitoba, 1,355,311 and 752,731 live in the urban centres.

The population of the City of Winnipeg jumped from 178,087 in 1921 to 235,111 in 1926, an increase of 57,024, but Edmonton, the capital of Alberta, is a close third with 61,162, only 250 behind Calgary. Edmonton, however, has the most notable gain since 1921 with 42,412 compared with Calgary's increase of 2,508 in the five years under review.

Regina, the capital of Saskatchewan, has increased from 25,729 in 1921 to 37,239 last year. Saskatoon, the seat of the University of Saskatchewan, and the Regina, surrounded by a productive farming country, has a population of 31,234, an increase since 1921 of 5,415.

While a census of the whole of Canada is taken only every ten years, one of the prairie provinces is taken every five years.

Fruit Production Lower

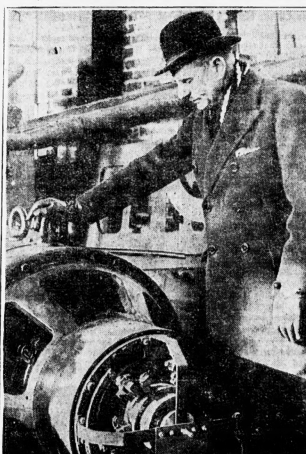
Figures Show Slight Decrease For Canada in 1926

Canada's total production of commercial apples for 1926 is estimated preliminarily at 2,556,000 barrels, valued at \$123,877,000, as compared with 2,512,000 barrels worth \$117,700,000, the finally revised estimate for 1926. The average crop per barrel in 1926 was valued at \$25.25 as against \$25.00 in 1925.

These figures were announced by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The total value of Canada's commercial fruit production in 1926 is \$25,575,702, as compared with \$22,237,415 in 1925. The province of Quebec for fruits other than apples are not included in the estimate.

Misses: Linda, can't you see the spider's web. Remove it at once!
The New Model I thought it was part of the window, huh.

PREMIER COASTS IN CANADA



The Rt. Hon. J. G. Coates, premier of New Zealand, who also holds the portfolio of Minister of Fisheries, passed through Canada over the Canadian National Railway recently and while in Winnipeg he inspected the Trout shops of the company and declared them to be the best railway shops he had ever seen. He was accompanied by J. S. Hunter, official secretary to the New Zealand Fisheries, and they stayed at a number of features characteristic of the Transcanada shops of the Canadian National Railway which was adopted by the New Zealand transportation system. The photo shows Premier Coates inspecting a piece of railway shop machinery.

"Almost Anyone Can Win"

No Better Opportunity Anywhere Than in Western Canada

In a recent letter to the Canadian Government office at Detroit, L. A. Fildman, of Ionia, Michigan, gives an outline of his impressions and observations following a visit to Western Canada last year. The letter reads in part: "I am pleased to tell you about our trip to Western Canada last fall. We motored to Regina and spent two weeks there. I like it there for I don't think there is any better wheat-growing land in America. I am going West next summer for I can grow a good farm in the Regina district and will take possession in a year or so after Nov. 1, 1927.

"Saskatchewan is a great country and opportunities are plentiful and I think by some hard work almost any one can win. Just think, it takes only ninety days for wheat to be ready to harvest and what a wonderful crop there is in some districts, especially in the heavy land—fifty bushels per acre."

"The farm I am sure I can lease is 610 acres, all under cultivation. I will have a large stock of cattle, sheep, and some horses. Anyhow there is nothing like trying for most all farmers that use a little system are well-to-do in a hurry."

"I will say this—there is no other country I know of that offers the North-West as a chance for the farmer."

Egg Production in Canada

Saskatchewan Follows Lead of Ontario in Largest Production

The production of farm eggs in Canada in 1925 is estimated at 237,650,239 dozen of the value of \$66,197,235, as compared with 224,778,367 dozen of the value of \$57,550,240 in 1924. An increase of 12,871,872 dozen, or 5.7 per cent., was shown. The estimated production by provinces is as follows in order—Ontario, 99,628,520 dozen, \$27,158,229; Saskatchewan 55,221,123 dozen, \$17,173,841; Quebec, 34,051,125 dozen, \$10,995,900; Alberta 25,109,011 dozen, \$7,511,279; British Columbia, 11,712,279 dozen, \$4,793,578; Manitoba, 16,616,677 dozen, \$5,395,250; New Brunswick, 2,557,125 dozen, \$1,101,931; Nova Scotia, 2,381,627 dozen, \$1,086,504; Prince Edward Island, 3,709,115 dozen, \$1,035,521; Indian Reserves, 5,643,125 dozen, \$1,736,878. The outstanding feature is the standing in this regard of the four western provinces, these occupying second, fourth, fifth, and sixth places.

Entertaining Royalty

How a Dominion can meet the cost of entertaining a royal guest is shown by the South African government. Statistics quoted by the London Daily Mail's Cape town correspondent show that South Africa spent \$255,000 (about \$125,000) in connection with the visit of the Prince of Wales in 1925, but saved \$210,000 by releasing 10,000 prisoners in honor of the occasion.

Scottish Settlers in West Plan To Establish Carding Mill To Manufacture Harris Tweeds

Increase in Wool Clip

Eleven And A Half Million Pounds Marked in 1926

Total estimate for the wool clip of Canada for the year 1926 places the total at close to eleven and a half million pounds. Of this amount around five million pounds were used locally, the bulk of the clip in Quebec and certain new settlements in the West, consequently not reaching commercial channels. Of the remainder, about 50 per cent. or 2,500,000 pounds was marketed on a graded basis through the medium of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers. This is a substantial increase over 1925, when 2,275,000 pounds were shipped to the Co-operatives.

Southern Alberta and Southern Saskatchewan, where sheep are raised over the prairies in large flocks, are the most concentrated sheep raising areas in Canada, and comprise 1,500,000 pounds of the wool destined co-operatively from the sheep in sections sheeped by each province, except three—New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island—reported an increase in 1926 over the previous year.

Prince Was "Regular Fellow"

Associates at Osborne Give Him Nickname of "The Sardine"

When the prince went to Osborne at Alderley Park, his regular, fair-haired and blue-eyed, and looked about three years younger than any of his contemporaries. In fact, his size in comparison with the fact that he was to become Prince of Wales, suggested to the humor of his contemporaries the nickname of "The Sardine." It was the little amount of "jaw" about his arrival, and he got the weather-eye for a bit, but there was no nonsense about the "Sardine," he was just like every body else, so states a contemporary of the prince's at Osborne told to Major Verner. Of the Oxford days the best remark was that of a fellow undergraduate: "Of course, he was simply priceless. It was dead difficult to remember someone that he was the Prince of Wales. Yet, on the other hand, he was so informally glad that he was."

Third Most Populous Nation

Soviet Russia Now Exceeded Only by China and India

The Soviet Union has become the third most populous nation in the world, being exceeded only by China and India. The latest census shows that it has a population of about 165,000,000.

Within 20 years the population of Russia has increased 50 per cent. The population of the old Russian empire was 126,000,000, but 25 per cent. of that population was separated from Russia when Poland and the Baltic countries became independent after the world war.

The greatest increase has been in the cities and towns, Moscow jumping from 1,100,000 in 1917 to more than 2,600,000, and Leningrad from 1,200,000 to 1,600,000. In fact, the population has increased 120 per cent. within seven years. Russia is the largest country in the world geographically.

Exports of Live Stock

Exports of live stock from Alberta for the year 1926, show a considerable increase over those of 1925, according to figures recently issued by the Provincial Department of Agriculture. In 1925 a total of nineteen thousand eight hundred horses and two hundred and sixty-three thousand, four hundred head of cattle were exported, compared with fifteen thousand, one hundred horses and two hundred and forty-two thousand head of cattle exported in 1925. The exports were made to other provinces, the United States and to Great Britain.

Henry—"Can you let me off this afternoon, boss? My wife wants me to go shopping with her."
Boss—"Can't do it."
Henry—"Thank you? Thank you a million times."

People who try to stand properly are foolish. They should sit down and take it easy.

A hypocrite is a man who acts differently when he knows one is watching him.

Ornamental penmanship is a heart-breaking industry.

Stagnated progress is evident in the "Clear Island" farm colony in Northern Alberta established through co-operation between the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Scottish Immigrant Association. With over five hundred families from the British Isles there last spring, in preparation for the new settlers a house and barn was erected on each of the hundred farms and a well run. One hundred barns and three hundred cows were purchased and distributed, as well as the necessary farm machinery. With this auspicious start no time was lost in getting seriously down to work.

Ten acres had been broken on each farm before establishment, and this was rapidly supplemented, some of the settlers according to fifty acres in the course of the season. In some, 2,500 acres were broken in the colony, so that a substantial harvest is forecast for the present year.

Some of the new settler families had received a year or two's practical training with Alberta farmers, but others were moved directly from the colony from their crops in Northern Scotland and Ireland. Both have made gratifying progress, and while waiting for their first harvest have produced income in various ways. A number of settlers found work on the C.P.R. Ten acres had been broken on each farm before establishment, and this was rapidly supplemented, some of the settlers according to fifty acres in the course of the season.

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A most interesting development planned in the colony was the establishment of a Harris Tweed mill. The new Harris tweed settlers from the Northern Scottish Islands are settled, definite progress upon which has been made, is the manufacture of "Harris Tweeds," for which the Hebridean crofters are famous in their native land.

The Harris Tweed industry with these people, so that most of the Alberta settlers took their spinning wheels with them and some their hand looms. On their own initiative they have manufactured some Harris hosiery which has been sold to the Hudson's Bay Company.

It was projected now by the Scottish Immigrant Aid Society in a cottage industry which will combine with a small industrial plant. The use of hand looms on the farms will be further encouraged, though these will be worked only on the weekends for the main part during the winter months. It is planned to establish a carding mill in the province. Red Deer, the headquarters of the Scottish Immigrant Aid Society, being suggested as the most fitting and appropriate spot. The necessary buildings are already in the possession of the Society and the greater part of the not elaborate capital has been raised by philanthropic individuals.

The scheme, which has every prospect of success, is an admirable one and is intended to advance the best interests of the present colonists and others to be moved. A necessary farm adjunct will be a small text or a small cottage industry, the production of sheep raising economically adapted in Western Canada. An excellent market is said to exist for Harris Tweeds. Such a cottage industry can be made self-sufficient in ensuring farm contentment, as keeping the newcomers on the land, providing them with employment, and adding substantially to its revenue.

A gratifying success in its work has attended the gradual development of the Scottish Immigrant Aid Society. Through its instrumentality many Scottish families have been moved from all parts of the British Isles and satisfactorily established in Western Canada, where they are making progress towards independence. The work is continuing, and in the present season it is expected that many additional families, carefully selected, will be moved from the British Isles and launched upon Canadian farming careers in the same satisfactory manner.

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CHAPTER XXVII—Continued
He would have made his speech. It was and ought to be of the mystery which was to be revealed upon the open air stage, but he was suddenly conscious of a slight touch of the slender body that stood close to him. He followed Joanna's gaze and saw two figures crouching the terrace which faced the Tribune.

John, in flannels and blue, his eyes, well set forward, his new piece of very excellent, stood for a moment with Joanna at the top of the terrace steps between two stone balustrades. Yvonne was very youthful and beautiful in the archaic sense she possessed for beauty and good. The single soft pink John carried was evidence that he had come from a round of house over the Blue Ansonia highway that stretched across the ravines and flat spaces of Cap Martin. Brandon, standing in the hotel, looked into the face of the man beside her; and that she rested her head on his shoulder, and blushed at him with his head, and he saw, too, that Joanna watched, and that the marks on her teeth were redder than the first of her lips.

Brandon reached down and found Joanna's hand. He gave her fingers a gentle pressure. As if something startled him, her body relaxed. And as if he were announcing the conclusion of some very deep consideration, she said:

"I have developed to have the trouble that will be over the crowd when my fathers here for my little surprise, with my father's blessing. I must have them rather late. It will be quite many."

"Have you chosen them?" Brandon asked quickly, "because you like them very, interestingly, perhaps, of her father they reveal no many colors, and in their form are make like."

She waited a moment, and then, looking at him, she said: "The names of my father's children are: John, and I have them, of her father they reveal no many colors, and in their form are make like."

"They went toward the house, but stopped at a bench under a natural shelter that reached a tiny garden, freedom gently, under her feet, and the first and last beside her."

"I have been too close to you," he said, "to fear that you will be offended with me when I ask you to drop your barriers low enough for me to talk to you. I have been too close to you, to fear that you will be offended with me when I ask you to drop your barriers low enough for me to talk to you. I have been too close to you, to fear that you will be offended with me when I ask you to drop your barriers low enough for me to talk to you."

"I know she is only repaying me," he said, "for the pleasure she has given me. I have been too close to you, to fear that you will be offended with me when I ask you to drop your barriers low enough for me to talk to you. I have been too close to you, to fear that you will be offended with me when I ask you to drop your barriers low enough for me to talk to you."

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him, coolly. "You were telling me that Yvonne is following the only honest path for a woman to take; that she is going straight to the goal of her desire. I believe you said that she must see some promise of novelty in stirring John's madness, and withdrawing in proof that she does not where only an angel would be willing. You had gone so far as to find every girl in the world who had no pretences and take love as I did it. I didn't know you were particularly trying to get anywhere."

Brandon, who had remained on the bench when the girl stood, rose. If there was a mark to drop his face for a fleeting moment. He caught Joanna's arm and swung her about until she stood close and looked up into his face. But when he spoke his voice was like the smoothness of the motor in her Daimler car. It purred. And it was insistent.

"I said all of that, and more," he murmured. "I said that you were a cheat; an impostor in the order you have chosen to enter. You are playing every trick and every little game of wit and, foolishly, think you are being burned, but you are. The dead-end turning, you know, is the idea of an invisible line that goes deep before it plays. You are being deceived by the ridicule of those who know that you only pretend that you don't understand Knickerbocker, Michael, and the others, and the contempt they have for one who tries to be discreet but is only deceitful. We had the girl far."

"For an instant anger flamed in the girl's brown eyes that looked into his; she trembled, and the tangere glow came into her cheeks. Then she was calm, again, and inimitable."

"But what you mean to tell me," she mocked him. "You read me a lesson from a book I learned by heart, long ago, when I was twenty-seven or thereabouts. It used to be, you know, that we needed to be told that if we accepted we would be deceived. I've heard that if we made ourselves into a well-made elf we might as well 'come in.' We've learned all that now. And I've learned to say 'come in' and when to say 'go to the devil' how much further do you think to go?"

"He still spoke softly, still reminding her of the low line of the road in her car. "Far beyond all that, my dear Joanna! Up to the very edge that all your make-believe, suddenly his manner changed. He dropped the hand he had held with a tight nervous clasp. His smile came back to the corners of his mouth. He spoke lightly. "But the moment has fled, isn't it?" he exclaimed. "You must have been so kind to me, to make me and propose its bargain when tempers are out of tune; should they be?"

She regarded him from half closed lids before she spoke. Then she said:

"You are the clever, you know. Because you hadn't said anything about this. You'd been trying to get where you were going for some time. Neither Nobby nor Michael were so clumsy as to forget."

And she turned away and left him. (To Be Continued.)

Chemist Discovers New Metal
Can Be Made Harder Than Steel and Softer Than Lead is Claim

The assertion that he had discovered a new metal that he made harder than steel and softer than lead has been advanced by T. D. Keller, a London chemist. Mr. Keller declared that this new metal may not be reduced, and that there is no use to which platinum is not that his metal will not serve equally well.

Mr. Keller, who calls his metal "Keller's metal," is convinced that it is the metal of the future. It is impervious to hydrogen, says the discoverer.

His twenty years of research led him to the discovery of Keller's metal. He says that Mr. Keller, the discoverer of another new metal, useless from the inventor loses his discoverer's will revolutionize industry.

Required Quick Thinking
Apparently, poverty-stricken, save for the blinding heat at its side, the newly made hidehounds asked the minutest the clasp, for having tied the animal tight, the piggy, rearing him with sympathy and compassion said: "Two dollars and a half, right?" The woman extended a hand that would have laid the creature on the nose of a mule's trunk. The eyes of the judge bulged, but he thought quickly and added the single word: "Back."

A follow-up has actually tried it, says that although there are three serapes in a dram, the more drams you take the less serapes you have.

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A matter-of-fact report to the Commerce Department from a London observer notes that a 700-yard area of a rubber pavement in one of London's heaviest traffic streets last winter one month of wear and damage without showing any signs of deterioration. A much longer series of experimentation, however, will be needed.

The test street is paved first with concrete foundation, heated over with sand, and on the sand is laid rubber top, sealed with a rubber cement.

Died Before Discovery Could Be Tested
Professor Who Announced T.B. Cure by Glucumab to Pneumonia

Just a week after he had announced to the world what he proclaimed a positive cure for tuberculosis, Prof. Emilio F. Perrot, 65, internationally known for his bacteriological researches, died at his home in Portland, Me., due to double pneumonia.

Prof. Perrot had announced that after ten years of scientific investigation, he had discovered a cure for tuberculosis that he had made arrangements for an extensive test, using a herd of tubercular cattle. The city health department of Portland was to check the tests and the results. The test, it is believed, was carried out despite Prof. Perrot's death.

Lends Zeppelin for Exploration Purposes
Hugh Eckner Places Big Ship at Disposal of Soviets

The Soviet Official Agency announces that Professor Eckner, director of the Zeppelin Company, has placed at the disposal of a company which is being formed in Leningrad, a Zeppelin ship for a flight to the polar regions for which preparations are being made.

The flight is to start from Leningrad and continue via Murmansk to the various Soviet Arctic territories north of Alaska. The Soviet exploration flights are intended, but does not mention the date of the start.

Impulsive Man Causes Strike
All Austria was without mail service recently because a Post Office employee did not take off his hat in the presence of the Postmaster of the Vienna district. The Postmaster reprimanded the employee for his carelessness, and the latter withdrew, calling a general strike of postmen and mail wagon drivers.

Doctors Vouch for Minard's Liniment
When a head cold is purchased instead of going to the buyer it usually goes to the doctor.

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Airplanes in New Role
Carried Fuel and Food to Trains in Spain Battered by Blizzards

A dramatic thing has happened in Spain, perhaps for the first time. When blizzards battered the railway lines in Madrid, in some cases, planes were sent to the relief and rescue of a train and its passengers who had been plunged into a snowdrift on the Madrid-Barcelona line.

The storm was so severe, the drifts so deep, that in the absence of the snowploughs employed in some countries more used to these extremes of weather, the relief trains which were sent could neither clear the line nor get over the stranded train. Snow continued to fall one day after the other, and the train passengers were in real danger of perishing from cold and hunger. The aeroplanes therefore dropped supplies of food and oil-fuel to keep them in some degree of comfort till rescue from their plight became possible.

OUR WINTER WEATHER
A Trying Time for People With Weak Watery Blood

Canadian winter weather is a trying time for delicate, nervous, thin people. The close air of shut-up houses, lack of out-door exercise, the cold of the season, all have their effect on weakened systems. It is always in winter that the danger of severe cold, attacks of influenza, the still more dangerous pneumonia. There is no other time of the year, when a beautiful supply of rich, red blood, is so necessary; and the way to keep the blood rich and strong is to take a good winter tonic.

You have fallen a victim to influenza, or other winter troubles, this same medicine will restore your health and strength. Among those who have noted the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is Miss Margaret Pearson, R.N., 25, Clontarf, Miss Pearson, through a severe attack of influenza and says: "It left me weak and ill. I was down that I could scarcely walk. Anemia set in and it most seemed as if I would not pull through the winter, as I grew so weak that the doctor advised would bring on falling spells. I was under medical treatment, but it did not help me. One day in our local paper I read an advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and decided to try them."

By the time I had used three boxes I felt much better, and continuing the use of the pills it was not long before I felt better than I had been before my influenza attack. I was so glad and surprised my friends, and I would surely say, "Not my doing, but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. To me, the pills have been a great help in my weight in gold."

Write to all medicine dealers, or send by mail at 25c a box by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Little Help For This Week
Rich toward God—Take all 21.

Rich are they That live for Christ so well, That longest day Would scarce suffice to tell In what wide ways their beneficence has been made.

Rich with no very great things, but with the little daily self-denials, the performance of duties that come with every returning day—little things, and yet they contain the riches with which God is well pleased.

—Rosa Porter.

Where there is most of God, there is least of self.

There may be other room removers, but there can be no room for the heart until you have used Holloway's Kidney Remedy.

Undertake Study of Manna
An attempt to make a scientific study of the origin and the use of the Manna, which the Bible records was served as food for the Israelites in the desert, will be made soon. A group of experts of the agricultural experiment station maintained in Palestine by the Zionist organization, will proceed to the Sinai Peninsula for the purpose of undertaking this study.

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India Desires Autonomy
Lord Willoughby Says Conditions in the East are Changing Fast

"If we show a real desire to assist India to get control of her own affairs, and help the Indians to be masters in their own houses, I believe India will want to stay with her for many long years," declared Lord Willoughby in an address before the Council of the Royal Asiatic Society in London.

His Excellency related some reminiscences of his term as viceroy in India for 15 years.

"We must always remember," continued the Governor-General, "that India is changing very fast and that it is determined to have more responsibility in regard to the administration of India's affairs and determined to be treated on a basis of equality."

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Thursday, Mar. 10, 1927

Lars Olsen, arrived in town
from Eaton, Friday.

Bill Brodie made a trip to
Swift Current this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Perrygo, sr., left
for Swift Current, on Tuesday.

Rev. N. W. Whitmore, was
confined to the house, Wednes-
day, suffering from ear trouble.

A St. Patrick's dance is to be
held in the local theatre, after the
show, Friday, March 18. Modern
and old-time dance music.

Alice G. Rowles, has lovely
plants in bloom, for sale at a
reasonable price. Call and se-
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Ed. Gill, of Leader, has mov-
ed on to the Jablonski farm.

Aug. Janot, has bought the
old P. Livmore place, north
of Empress.

Wallace King, of Buffalo,
was in town over Monday
night.

Albert Smuh, left on Satur-
day morning for Buffalo, to get
things in shape for operation
of the ferry at that point this
coming Spring.

Messdames Sneddon and
Gravett, of Buffalo, were in
town over Monday night.

S. Codrre has bought the D.
Aston farm and is now getting
it into shape.

Aug. Gill, Leader, moved
out last week on to the J.
Matz farm.

Snow is said to be still deep
in the north country, but in
the South-West it is reported
as almost disappeared.

Mrs. D. A. MacDonald, is
holding an auction sale of her
household effects, at the resi-
dence, Saturday, March 12, at
3 p.m.

E. L. Kenny, left for Ottawa,
Ont., Tuesday morning, having
received the unexpected and
sad news of the death of his
father.

Weather of the past week
has been Springlike, although
on Monday, for a brief period
we were visited with a blizzard-
like storm.

Mrs. A. Munroe, who has been
visiting at the home of Mrs.
C. R. Moore, returned to Cal-
gary, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McGill,
returned on Monday, from Medi-
cine Hat.

W. Rowles, B.Sc., University
of Saskatchewan, M.Sc., McGill,
research student working on
Stark effect in metals and rare
gases, was one of the new or
associate members presented a
week ago at a luncheon held at
McGill by McGill chapter of the
Sigma Xi, an honorary scien-
tific society.—Saskatoon Star.

Cavendish

Mr. Charles Winkler, south
of Cavendish, entertained a
number of friends to a house
warming on Wednesday last,
where an appetizing dinner
was put on by the host with all
kinds of refreshments.

U. F. A. held their regular
meeting on Friday last. A
good crowd was present and
after the meeting they went
to the early hours of the
morning.

Mr. D. Lush was a business
visitor in town Thursday last.

Mr. D. E. Hawkins is convales-
cing and is busy entertaining a
number of his friends.

Crops at Fort Vermilion

Twenty-three farmers in the
Fort Vermilion district, in the
far north-western part of Al-
berta, 650 miles straight north
of the international boundary,
last year raised a total of 9,300

Farm For Sale

The East Half of Sect. 24, Twp. 25,
Rge. 2, West of the 4th. M., Alberta,
situated to have from the 31st of Decem-
ber, 1926.

Sealed tenders addressed to L. F.
Clarry, Esq., C. Court House, Cal-
gary, marked S. C. 26512 will be re-
ceived up to Monday, the 21st day of March,
1927, at 11 o'clock a.m. for the purchase
of the above property.

The farm is located 11 miles from
Saskatoon Valley, P. O., the nearest railway
station, and 3 miles from the nearest
school.
120 acres are under cultivation, of
which 40 acres have been summer-
fallowed. Improvements consist of a
modern, granite and stable in fair repair.
Roll clay bank with clay subsoil. 21-18
miles fencing.

No tenders less than \$2100.00 will be
considered. Terms: Cash, or 10 p.c. on
acceptance of tender, 10 p.c. in 60
days without interest and the balance in
equal instalments in 6, 12 and 18 months
from the date of acceptance of tender
with interest at 9 p.c. per annum. No
tender necessarily accepted.

Certified cheque for 5 p.c. of purchase
price must accompany tender. Standing
conditions of sale to apply except as to
terms of payment.

Further particulars may be obtained
from Messrs. Moffat, Mackay & Co., the
solicitors for the Plaintiff, 308 Grain
Exchange Building, Calgary, Alberta.
DATED at Calgary, in the Province of
Alberta, this 18th day of February,
A.D. 1927.

APPROVED: "A. G. A. Clowes,"
Click in Chambers.
"L. F. Clarry"
M. C.

bushels of wheat and 13,000
bushels of oats. Their average
for wheat was 25 1/2 bushels, and
for oats the average was 36 1/2
bushels per acre. They also had
an average yield of barley of
30 bushels to the acre. This is
the farthest north point in
Alberta raising grain, and is
some 200 miles farther north
than the farm of Herman Treble
on which was raised the world's
champion wheat and oats of
1926.

R. M. Mantario-cont.

It was decided that no further
special meetings would be called
to deal with seizures made and
the Reeve signed warrants for
five further seizures, which
were issued to the bailiff, one
of which, Rev. W. A. Kohne was
notified by cash payment be-
fore the meeting closed.

A number of ratepayers were
present and were given an
opportunity by the Reeve of
asking questions or of stating
their views in regard to the
action of the council.

The meeting was as pleasant
and friendly as it was possible
to make it under the circum-
stances. The intervals of wait-
ing while the owners considered
their position, being relieved
by some hard fought games of
cribbage.

The council adjourned at 8
p.m. to meet again March 12th,
at Trosley School.

C. Evans Sargent, Sec. Treas.

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there was no sign of rickets
over a period of four months.
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was repeated. The pen receiv-
ing refined cod liver oil made
the greatest gains and signs of
rickets again were present only
in chicks not receiving the oil.
During 1926 fourteen chicks,
suffering from leg-weakness in
varying stages of severity, were
in good condition and gaining
weight, after seven days of
treatment with refined cod
liver oil.—W. S. Gutteridge

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FRANCIS FOX,

formerly of Empress, Alberta.
TAKE NOTICE THAT Action No.
27179 has been commenced against you
in the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial
District of Calgary, by Northwestern
Investment Company of Canada Limited,
to recover \$1517.32 and interest from the
31st day of December, 1926 at 10 percent
per annum due under a certain mortgage
made by you to it dated the 19th day of
December, 1927, covering the S.E. 1/4 of
Sec. 22, Twp. 25, R. 1, W. of 4th M.,
Alberta, and also for sale or foreclosure
of said land.

AND TAKE NOTICE THAT you may
discontinue or defend the 30th day of
March A.D. 1927 (a). Notwithstanding
of defence or (b) demand that notice of
any application be given you and in the
event of your so doing the Plaintiff may
claim judgment and final order for
foreclosure or such other relief as it may
be entitled to without further notice to you.

DATED at Calgary, this 18th day
of February, A.D. 1927.

(Sgd.) A. G. A. CLOWES,
Click in Chambers.

Approved: (Sgd.) L. F. CLARRY,
M.C.

Watch for the bills of

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